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Charlemagne Conquered SAXONY

Pepin the Short died 768; his kingdom divided between 2 sons CARLOMAN & CHARLES. 771 - Carloman died; Charles the Great became sole king

He had been raiding Saxon lands yr after yr. & yr after yr his garrisons were overwhelmed as soon as he departed. He resorted to decapitation of the Saxon chieftains and deportation of thousands of their tribesmen to the west so Franks

could colonize eastern Gaul
By 785 the Saxons had been subdued

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Advance of Fronts in N. E. Spain
(Catalonia)

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Charlemagne introduced
Christianity into Saxon.

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Franks under Carolingians

Surrendered WITTEKIND
who became a Christian

Charlemagne was successful
at DETMOLD and in the HASE.

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Caliphate

AL-HADI was Caliph at Bagdad.

"Al Muwatta" code of laws
based on decisions of the school
of law of Medina founded in
the 7th century, compiled by
MALIK Ibn Anas
a distinguished jurist (c 785)
code still in force in Tunisia,
Algeria, Morocco, and the Hejaz

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Cordova Cathedral

one of finest existing specimens
of Moorish Architecture. Begun in
785 by ABD-ER-RAHMAN I

1236 - After Capture of Cordova, it became
a Christian church

Was once lighted by 800 silver lamps

C 785-790-800

ALCOIN 735? → 804

King 768-7814 Empennofect 800-814

One of the most important projects was the recovery of the true text of the Bible, which through centuries of miscopying by ignorant scribes, had become almost hopelessly corrupt.

This great project was undertaken by ALCOIN / 75k at the New

monastery at TOURS